

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A system for accessing a computer-readable medium device, comprising:

a computing system including a computer-readable medium device and a computing device for;

from the computer-readable medium device, receiving a description of first and second features of the computer-readable medium device, the first feature being other than an identification of the computer-readable medium device;

in response to the description, configuring a program for managing access by the computing system to the computer-readable medium device, without relying on the identification of the computer-readable medium device; and

in response to instructions of the configured program, accessing the computer-readable medium device, wherein the first feature includes at least one of write capabilities and digital audio extraction capabilities of the computer-readable medium; and

the computer readable medium device storing functional descriptive material wherein data structures define structural and functional interrelationships between such data structures and the computer readable medium device, and wherein the program defines structural and functional interrelationships between the program and the computer readable medium device, whereby such interrelationships permit the data structures' functionality and the programs' functionality to be realized.

2. (Canceled)
3. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 1 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc.

4. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 3 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc read-write medium.
5. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 3 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc read only memory medium.
6. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 1 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc medium.
7. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 6 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc read-write medium.
8. (Previously Presented) The system of Claim 6 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc read only medium.
9. – 10. (Canceled)
11. (Currently Amended) A method for accessing a computer-readable medium device, comprising:
 - providing a computing system including a computer-readable medium device and a computing device for;
 - from the computer-readable medium device, receiving a description of first and second features of the computer-readable medium device, the first feature being other than an identification of the computer-readable medium device;
 - in response to the description, configuring a program for managing access by the computing system to the computer-readable medium device, without relying on the identification of the computer-readable medium device; and
 - in response to instructions of the configured program, accessing the computer-readable medium device, wherein the first feature includes at least one of write capabilities and digital audio extraction capabilities of the computer-readable medium; and

the computer readable medium device storing functional descriptive material wherein data structures define structural and functional interrelationships between such data structures and the computer readable medium device, and wherein the program defines structural and functional interrelationships between the program and the computer readable medium device, whereby such interrelationships permit the data structures' functionality and the programs' functionality to be realized.

12. (Canceled)
13. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc.
14. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 13 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc read-write medium.
15. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 13 wherein the computer-readable medium is a compact disc read only memory medium.
16. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc medium.
17. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 16 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc read-write medium.
18. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 16 wherein the computer-readable medium is a digital video disc read only medium.
19. – 30. (Canceled)